

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please **AMEND** claims 1-5 and 8-10, as follows.

Please **CANCEL** claims 6, 7, 11 and 12, as follows.

1. (Currently Amended) A connector comprising:

a housing having a through hole and a hanging projection formed ~~at on~~ an inner bottom surface of the through hole; and

a body portion inserted into the through hole ~~from one side opening of the through hole, for providing a power supply line with power supplied through the other side opening of the through hole,~~ wherein the body portion is a single unit and divided into a plurality of integral portions comprising:

~~a joint portion for fixing the body portion to the power supply line;~~

a head portion having a hanging jaw formed on a bottom surface thereof and engaged with the hanging projection of the housing; and

a connection portion extended from the head position and bent toward an inner top surface of the through hole formed with an inclination that is negatively inclined along its insertion direction and faces the inner bottom surface of the housing, for connecting the head portion thereby connected with the joint portion; and

a joint portion extended from the connection portion and connected to a power supply wire.

2. (Currently Amended) The connector of claim 1, wherein ~~the inclination has an inclination~~ ~~the connection portion is bent at an angle in a range of about 9 degrees to 10 degrees.~~
3. (Currently Amended) A backlight assembly lamp unit comprising:
 - a lamp for generating a light;
 - a power supply line ~~of which one having a first end is connected to the lamp; and~~
 - ~~a connector connected to the other a second end of the power supply line, for providing external power to the lamp through the power supply line,~~wherein the connector comprises:
 - a housing having a through hole and a hanging projection formed at an inner bottom surface of the through hole; and
 - a body portion inserted into the through hole from one side opening of the through hole, ~~for providing the power supplying line with the external power through the power supply line, and~~wherein the body portion is a single unit and divided into a plurality of integral portions comprising:

- ~~a joint portion for fixing the body portion to the power supply line;~~
- ~~a head portion having a hanging jaw engaged with the hanging projection of the housing; and~~
- ~~a connection portion extended from the head portion and bent toward an inner top surface of the through hole formed with an inclination that is negatively inclined along its insertion direction and faces with the inner bottom surface of the housing, the head portion thereby connected with the joint portion; and~~

a joint portion extended from the connection portion and connect to the second end of the power supply line.

4. (Currently Amended) The connector of claim 3, wherein the inclination has an inclination the connection portion is bent at an angle within a range of about 9 degrees to 10 degrees.

5. (Currently Amended) A The backlight assembly lamp unit comprising: of claim 3, wherein a distance between the head portion and the inner bottom surface of the through hole is different from a distance between the joint portion and the inner bottom surface of the through hole and a distance between the connection portion and the inner bottom surface of the through hole.

a lamp for generating a light;
a power supply line of which one end is connected to the lamp; and
a connector connected to the other end of the power supply line, for providing external power to the lamp through the power supply line,

wherein the connector comprises:

a housing having a through hole and a hanging projection formed at an inner bottom surface of the through hole; and

a body portion inserted into the through hole from one side opening of the through hole, for providing the power supply line, wherein the body portion is a single unit and divided into a plurality of integral portions comprising:

a joint portion for fixing the body portion to the power supply line;

a head portion having a hanging jaw engaged with the hanging projection of the housing; and

a connection portion for connecting the head portion with the joint portion, wherein a distance between the head portion and the inner bottom surface of the housing on which the hanging projection is formed is different from that between the joint portion and the inner bottom surface of the housing and that between the connection portion and the inner bottom surface of the housing.

6. (Currently Cancelled)

7. (Currently Cancelled)

8. (Currently Amended) An A liquid crystal display (LCD) comprising:
a lamp for generating light a-tight;
a power supply line ~~of which one having a first end is connected to the lamp;~~
~~a connector connected to the other a second end of the power supply line, for providing external power to the lamp through the power supply line;~~
a light guiding unit for guiding the light generated from the lamp; and
a display unit for displaying an image in response to the light guided by the light guiding unit,

wherein the connector comprises:

a housing having a through hole and a hanging projection formed at an inner bottom surface of the through hole; and

a body portion inserted into the through hole from one side opening of the through hole, for providing the external power to the lamp through the power supply line, and wherein the body portion is a single unit and divided into a plurality of integral portions comprising:

~~a joint portion for fixing the body portion to the power supply line;~~
~~a head portion having a hanging jaw engaged with the hanging projection of the housing; and~~
~~a connection portion extended from the head portion and bent toward an inner upper surface of the housing formed with an inclination that is negatively inclined along its insertion direction and faces the inner bottom surface of the housing, the head portion thereby connected with the joint portion; and~~
~~a joint portion extended from the connection portion and connected to the second end of the power supply line.~~

9. (Currently Amended) The LCD of claim 8, wherein ~~the inclination has an inclined the connection portion is bent at an angle within a range of about 9 degrees to 10 degrees.~~

10. (Currently Amended) ~~An~~ The LCD of claim 8, wherein a distance between the head portion and the inner bottom surface of the through hole is different from a distance between the joint portion and the inner bottom surface of the through hole and a distance between the connection portion and the inner bottom surface of the through hole, comprising;
~~a lamp for generating a light;~~

a power supply line of which one end is connected to the lamp;
~~a connector connected to the other end of the power supply line, for providing an external power to the lamp through the power supply line;~~
~~a light guiding unit for guiding the light generated from the lamp; and~~
~~a display unit for displaying an image in response to the light guided by the light guiding unit,~~

~~wherein the connector comprises:~~

~~a housing having a through hole and a hanging projection formed at an inner bottom surface of the through hole; and~~
~~a body portion inserted into the through hole from one side opening of the through hole, for providing the lamp with external power through the power supply line, wherein the body portion is a single unit and divided into a plurality of integral portions comprising:~~

~~a joint portion for fixing the body portion to the power supply line;~~
~~a head portion having a hanging jaw engaged with the hanging projection of the housing; and~~
~~a connection portion for connecting the head portion with the joint portion, and the joint portion,~~

~~wherein a distance between the head portion and the inner bottom surface of the housing on which the hanging projection is formed is different from that between the joint portion and the inner bottom surface of the housing and that between the connection portion and the inner bottom surface of the housing.~~

11. (Currently Cancelled)

12. (Currently Cancelled)